

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MONTANA
BILLINGS DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

vs.

JOHNATHAN SCOTT COOPER,

Defendant.

CR 20-42-BLG-DLC

ORDER

Before the Court is the United States' Unopposed Motion to Dismiss Count I of the Indictment Without Prejudice. (Doc. 26.) The United States moves to dismiss Count I of the Indictment, charging Defendant Johnathan Scott Cooper with being a prohibited person in possession of a firearm in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(8). (Docs. 11 at 2; 26.)

In support of its motion, the United States represents that it "would not be in the interests of judicial economy to conduct a trial as to Count I when a conviction as to Count II adequately addresses the conduct." (Doc. 26 at 1-2.) The Court agrees.

Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED that the motion (Doc. 26) is GRANTED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Count I of the Indictment (Doc. 11) is DISMISSED without prejudice.

DATED this 26th day of October, 2020.



Dana L. Christensen
Dana L. Christensen, District Judge
United States District Court